Darkleat

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far from the truth this was and unfortunately this left me hindered with impatience later when I began to see patients myself.

By the time I had completed high school I thought that I no longer "Saw through the glass darkly" but indeed, I could see no need to enter college. For, how could one learn more than I already knew upon completing high school!

GENEROUS 'MISS AMERICA'

Grand Island, Neb.- The biggest check received from an individual by the Rev. R. R. Yelderman for the church construction fund was sent to the First Christian Church by Miss Sharon Kay Ritchie, 'Miss America of 1956.' The note accompanying the check stated, in part, "I am so grateful that other people saw fit to support this church so that little girls like me could learn about Jesus. Now I want to ffer my contribution to be used for the building of the new church, where more and more young people can learn about Christ." Miss Ritchie, now a college student in Denver, is from Grand Island.

U. S. experts find Soviet industry at high level.

Appomattox is a growing town.

READY FOR EVERYTHING

Council Bluffs, Iowa.- Anticipating the usual crowd of onlookers present when construction was started on its new building here, the First Federal Savings and Loan Association distributed small cards certifying that the bearer "has been duly elected to an exclusive membership in the Council Bluffs Chapter of the Society of Sidewalk Engineers and Superintendents of America."

CARD OF THANKS

There are so many who rendered deeds of kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of Miss Janie McKinney, that I want them one and all to know how deeply appreciative I am. Especially do I want to thank Mrs. A. A. Babcock for her loving care and help, and all others who remembered us in any way.

Miss Frankie McKinney.

(1tp)

NOTICE

We want to thank those who came to the rescue of our home and invalid mother, and whose heroic and prompt work saved the home from complete loss by fire. We express our sincere thanks and deep gratitude for the wonderful work done.

—The children of
Mrs. William Pitzer Gills.

(1tc)

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends for their kindness shown me during my recent stay in the hospital and since my return home. Also for the flowers, cards and fruits sent me while I was sick with pleurisy.

Courtney Harvey.

(1tp)

CARD OF THANKS

Since I'm incapacitated and unable to thank each individually, I take this means to thank each of my many friends and loved ones for all their kindness to me. For cards, letters, gifts and visits.

I wish for each a very Happy and Prosperous Year 1956.

Mattie Moss.

(1tp)

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to every one who was so kind in their expressions of sympathy; cards, beautiful flowers and all other acts of kindness since the death of my husband.

Mrs. C. A. Wingfield,
and Children.

(1tp)

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone who was so kind to me during my recent stay in the hospital and since my return home. Your every act of kindness was deeply appreciated.

J. P. Johnson, Sr.

(1tc)

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends for their kindness shown me during my recent stay in the hospital and since my return home. Also for flowers, cards and fruits.

Lewis B. Winters.

(1tp)

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our mother, Lillie Chick Drinkard, who passed away two years ago today, Jan. 10, 1954.

Two years ago you left us,
So sad was that night;
God took you in his loving arms,
And then turned out the light.

She said good-bye to no one,
Her loving heart had ceased to be.
Before we knew she had gone.

She did not fail to do her best,
Her heart was true and tender,
She worked hard for those she left
And they ever will remember.

Some think that we are happy,
Because they see us smile;
But dear mother, you will never know,
How much we hurt inside.

The Children.

(1tc)

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our mother and wife, Mrs. Archie A. LeGrand, who departed this life Jan. 8, 1952.

How often we ponder at night when all is still,
Until our heart with longing and sadness then does fill.
We seem to see our mother, her loving face aglow,
Once again smiling sweet and her tender voice is low.
No other, but mother could drive the teary away,
Now that the years have vanished,
And childhood days have passed.
The years at home with mother,
' they hurried, O! so fast.
But memory still brings to us,
a picture ever dear,
'Tis aiways that of mother,
Whose voice we long to hear.

—Missed by Husband
and Children.

(1tp)

Special Notices

NOTICE: Local Board No. 8, Appomattox County, Selective Service, will close its office from January 24 through February 7.

(1-12-3tc)

NOTICE: No Hunting or Trespassing on farm. Violators will be prosecuted.

Vivian E. Myers,
Appomattox, Va.

(1tp)

NOTICE
EVANS' REST HOME
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For Elder People. Prices reasonable.
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(1-12-4tc)

TO ALL VOTERS
WHO VOTED "FOR"

Precinct Workers, and ones who drove cars at precincts, and especially to the ladies who helped get out information letters with sample ballots, and all others who helped and contributed in any way, and to the county officials, I want to personally thank all of you for your efforts and help in making Monday's election so successful in our county.

CHAS. T. MOSES.

(1tc)

NOTICE: I will not be responsible for any debts made other than by myself.

Roy B. Stanton,
Spout Spring, Va.

(1-12-2tp)

HEADQUARTERS FOR MEMBERS OF
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CHRISTMAS CLUB PLAN
PAYMENT NUMBER 6
DUE THIS WEEK

The Farmers National Bank

Lost and Found

LOST: One man's ring, Masonic emblem, red setting. Lost in or around Appomattox before Christmas. $5.00 reward. Notify:

W. S. Covington,
Transco Pump Station.

(1tp)

For Sale

SAWED-UP SLABS FOR SALE.
Robert Simms,
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(1-5-2tp)

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Saturday, January 14, 1956 - 1:00 P. M. Purebred Livestock Sale Pavilion, Staunton, Virginia.
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100 HEAD - Bred Ewes, Lambs, Stud Rams — For catalog write Dave Canning, Sale Manager
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(1-5-2tc)

FOR SALE: Two Guernsey cows, springers. Angus bulls, 6 to 18 months old, registered and non-registered.
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(12-15-tfc)

FOR SALE: One four-burner gas range. In excellent condition.
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(12-8-tfc)

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Due to defaut in payment a 1950 Buick Super 4 Door Sedan, Motor No. 58420255
And a 1947 Chevrolet 2 Door Sedan Motor No. EAM-180065,
And a 1950 Ford 2 Door Sedan, Motor No. BONR-127138
Will be sold at public auction at
LEWIS MOTOR CO.,
Appomattox, Va.
January 27, 1956, at 2 P. M.

(12-29-5tc)

FOR SALE: Hampshire Pigs.
L. R. Sharp,
Route 1, Appomattox, Va.

(1-5-2tp)

FOR SALE: Six room house and lot on Church Street. Oil floor furnace and practically new electric hot water heater. Immediate possession. Priced: $6,500. Terms.
C. F. P. Crawley.

(1-12-tfc)

Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO BUY — Will pay a good price for Diston Saw Set (Triumph) US. Pat. Oct. 1899.
tfc H. M. Harper.
Appomattox, Va.

NOTICE: Will pay $3.00 a piece for tires suitable for recapping.
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(11-3-tfc)

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FOR RENT: Apartment, 3 rooms and bath, heated. Apply
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(12-15-tfc)

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Mrs. W. T. Coleman,
Evergreen Ave., Appomattox, Va.

(1tp)

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(8-31-tfc)

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By virtue of a court order we sell at public auction on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1956

at one o'clock to the highest bidder on our used car lot the following described vehicles.

1955 Chevrolet 2 ton, 2 speed tr
Motor No. P255B 005497 in
name of
Oscar F. Gallier Jr.
William Homer Gallier
Malcolm J. Womack

1948 Chevrolet Coupe
Motor No. FAM 4412 in the na
of Mrs. A. E. Brown
Dottie B. Tomlinson

1952 Ford Custom 4 Dr. Sedan
Motor No. B2NR 119151 in
name of
Willard R. Pollard

MOSES MOTOR COMPANY

(1tc)

AUCTION SALE
OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

The undersigned sole acting Special Commissioner, pursuant to authority vested in me under the terms of a certain decree entered in the December Term of 1955 of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County, Virginia in the chancery suit of Farmers Bank of Appomattox vs. E. J. Paulette, et als, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, on

FEBRUARY 1, 1956, at 2 P. M.

in front of the Court House of Appomattox County, Virginia, the following property, to-wit:

All of that certain tract or parcel of real estate lying and being in Southside District of Appomattox County, about four (4) miles South of Appomattox Court House, near Promise Land Church and fronting on the old Chap and Red Hill Road and being on the west side of said road, and known as the George Chilton Tract of land adjoining now or formerly the lands of Jim Driskall, Edgar Chilton, Nannie Harvey, Mrs. Adella C. Ferguson, J. T. Myers and the land of W. H. Stern and A. W. Arrington originally containing 150 acres more or less, but now containing 65½ acres more or less. E. J. Paulette acquired said land by two deeds; one from J. R. Poe and wife, of record in the Clerk's Office of the Appomattox County in Deed Book 48, at Page 487, and the other from W. L. Moore to himself and Julia Poe jointly, which is of record in said Clerk's Office of Appomattox County in Deed Book 42, at page 452.

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Father Darkleat

By c. h. r.

The Garden Club of Appomattox was organized Jan. 25, 1935: so fine organization is now twenty-years old.

Thanks to Mrs. Nellie F. Schweizer for having mailed us a copy of the tremendous Annual Midwinter Special Edition of the Los Angeles Times. We enjoyed reading it, and recalling happy experiences of our visit to L. A.

Someone was recalling that back in the olden days, one of the worse things that could happen to you was to fall into the "skim hole." That is where they poured the skim off the top when they were making sorghum molasses. I have seen the messes being made, but never fell into the "skim hole" and do not care to.

Mother Brightleaf says Jane Hamilton Stanley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Stanley, has a fine collection of dolls. Says there are 91 in the collection, and many of rare beauty. This is a fine hobby for a fine young lady. Have to get Mother Brightleaf to give us a detailed description of the dolls.

Most of us use lots of tobacco, mostly in the form of cigarettes. Many of us know much about tobacco. We could never raise a crop of tobacco. I would be like the farmer who said he wanted to stop raising tobacco and wanted several bushels of seed. That would be just half of Texas!

"The herb Nicotiana" is a plant native to the new world. The white man found it here Most natives smoked it in pipes...but not all. The word "tobacco" is probably from "Tabaco"—a province of Yucatan, Mexico, where the leaf was found by the Spaniards. Las Casas says that on the first voyage of Columbus, Cuba, he was observed smoking "a roll of leaves rolled up in tubes, which have acquired four old Indian words. Pipe-making became an art among the American Indian. Some tribes used tobacco ceremonially. The fancy pipes were made of various stones, bone, wood (ivory, antler, and pottery.

About 1586, Sir Walter Raleigh introduced tobacco to Europe. He is credit for it, but there is a bit of evidence that it was introduced by the Portuguese and others early as 1518. And it could be intended that many Europeans noted various herbs, mosses and roots prior to ever knowing about tobacco. It is a long and fascinating story.

There in historic Appomattox, our farmers grow some of the best tobacco produced in all the world. What we turn out is only one crop in a vast industry. I have been happy to see the increased poundage of tobacco now obtained by our farmers per acre. This figure has gone up amazingly in the present generation. Perhaps it will go higher.

Thanks to Dr. H. E. Jenkins for giving me a nice addition to my collection of paper match covers.

There is a big brown-wrapped package in the mail every day. We had been without it for a spell. The document is The Congressional Record . . . the stenographic report of what went on yesterday in Congress. We not only get it in the mail, but often read it.

APPOMATTOX HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Appomattox Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. W. W. Stone on Jan. 17 at 2:30 for the first regular meeting of the new year. The members present filled in year-books, and welcomed Mrs. Linda Jones as a new member. The program on "Favorite Recipes" gave us one present new zest for cookery. Orange Marmalade, made by Mrs. L. C. McCormick, was sampled by the delicious refreshments that were served. Little Susan Goode entertained the ladies with several vocal selections.

'55 Bank Deposits Show $400,000 Increase

Deposits in the two banks at Appomattox increased by well over $400,000 during the past year. The statements of the two banks, as of December 31, 1955, show combined deposits of $5,154,376.74. This figure compares with $4,752,538.42 as of the same date a year earlier.

The rate of increase of deposits was accelerated in 1956 over the 1954 rate, but the trend is that deposits have moved steadily for a number of years.

Total assets of the two banks are also at an increased level. The recently published statements show the combined assets of the institutions to be $5,503,352.63. This compares with $5,060,714.20 at the end of 1954.

The splendid condition of the local banks is indicative of the outstanding business year in the Appomattox area.

It is noteworthy that the deposits at the local banks include a large percentage of money on savings accounts.

So far as money in the bank was concerned, depositors started 1956 $421,436.32 ahead of the way they began 1955.

Murder Trial Is Scheduled For January 31

Tuesday, January 31, has been set for the trial of Henry Walker, 65, of Appomattox, on an indictment for murder and malicious wounding. Judge S. DuVal Martin, of Lynchburg Corporate Court, will preside at the trial. Judge Martin was designated by The Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia to hear the case, after Judge Joel W. Flood of the Circuit Court of Appomattox County disqualified himself. The slaying victim, Stephen Gafford, 37, was a tenant on Judge Flood's farm.

Three charges against Walker of malicious wounding will be heard on Friday, February 3, with Judge Martin presiding.

Walker, a retired railroad worker, was indicted by the grand jury at the December term of court. He is accused of shooting Gafford, and of the pistol-butt beating of Lois Goode, 40, and the wounding of two of her children, Elijah, 18, and Alice, 12. The incidents occurred on "Mud Street, Appomattox, on the night of December 1. Walker was apprehended early the next morning.

Outstanding Members Are Recognized

The Appomattox Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America has organized a degrees committee for the purpose of recognizing those who have been active in club and class activities and have shown outstanding leadership in home, church and community life.

Besides the work in home, church and community life, in order to qualify for a degree each member must complete a certain amount of memory work. This work consists of the F. H. A. creed, eight purposes, significance of the F. H. A. emblem, flower, color, and a clear understanding of the chapter constitution.

This committee is made up of the following members, Virginia Davidson, Christine Irby, Shirley Padgett, Dorothy Painter, Dorothy Roberts, and Alice Shumaker. Those having obtained the first degree of achievement, the Junior Homemakers' degree, are: Carrie Jane Inge, Shirley Padgett, and Virginia Davidson. These members are very proud of their key, which symbolizes their accomplishment.

Appomattox County Orders 358,000 Pine Tree Seedlings

A total of nearly 8½ million tree seedlings have been ordered through the Appomattox County Office, information received from the State Division of Forestry.

The report shows that 358,000 tree seedlings were ordered from Appomattox County.

The state total represents nearly one-half of the goal of 20 million as set up for this first year of Gov. Stanley's "Plant Moore Trees" program. With the heaviest part of the planting season yet to come, it is anticipated that the goal will be reached and exceeded well before the end of March—which is the normal ending of the tree planting period.

So far, all but three of Virginia's 98 counties are participating in the program; and of that number, nine already have reached or exceeded the individual county goals as set up by the Governor's "Plant More Trees" Commission. An additional 22 counties have reached fifty per cent or more of their respective goals, and another 21 have reached or exceeded twenty-five per cent.

Leading counties in number of tree seedlings ordered are Buckingham, with 664,400; Louisa, with 503-333; Mecklenburg, 476,000; Albemarle, 375,900; and Appomattox, 358,000.

A report to Governor Stanley on his "Plant More Trees" program will be made at the annual meeting of Virginia Forests, Inc., which will be held at the Jefferson Hotel in Richmond on February 1. At that time, each county forestry committee chairman will be asked to report on the number of seedlings ordered for his county, and it is anticipated that the sum total of these reports will indicate a highly successfully first year for the three-year program.

Polio Vaccine Received Here

A shipment of polio vaccine has been received for Appomattox County and is to be given to all children, from 1 year to 11 years of age.

This is for the benefit of any child who has received no injections and also children who received one but missed out on the second dose.

Health Department public clinics will be conducted January 24 at 10:30 A. M.; and February 14 and 28, at 10:30 A. M., at Appomattox County Health Department.

Now is the time to receive this vaccine For those not having done so, before the beginning of the polio season. All parents are urged by Dr. H. E. Jenkins to avail themselves of this opportunity and protect their children.

Parents may take their children to their private physicians, or bring them to the Health Department public clinics.

Va. Novelty Co. Starts Addition

Virginia Novelty Company, one of Appomattox's major payroll industries, began work this week on an addition to its plant on Route 460. The addition will provide an extra 5,000 square feet of space and will enable the employment of from 60 to 80 more workers. It will include new equipment, used for the manufacture of juvenile garments. This addition is being constructed in order to serve the needs of one national retailer. The project will increase the payroll of Virginia Novelty by about $150,000 a year.

Production is scheduled to start in the new space by March 1.

New Company To Distribute Esso Products

Esso Standard Oil Company has set up a new distributor here as of the first of the year after a long span of years with no local wholesale outlet.

Some will remember their old bulk station near Mr. Will Smith's flour mill. About that time "Duly" Earman had a power plant nearby and Mr. Kaufman had the first laundry in Appomattox. Dr. Twyman and Mr. Walter Hancock had the town water works and made and delivered ice.

In time Mr. Morton Rosser had the mill, then David Cawthorn and now it is Mr. Wooton's. The Water Company was Mr. Harwood's and is now town property. Electric power has not been generated locally for a number of years.

At that time petroleum products were all brought to Appomattox by tank cars on the N&W Railway and oil companies developed near the tracks. Now most products come by tank trucks and the new Parkway Fuel Company, wholesale distributor of Esso Standard Oil products, is set up at the outskirts of town on Route 24. They have modern equipment with automatic Print-O-Meter tickets for all deliveries.

The new outlet, Parkway Fuel Company, with Jack and Alice Marshall as owners, is in line with Esso Standard's renewed effort to have their heating and motor fuels readily accessible to farms and all small users. Local stocks will enable anyone interested to secure prompt and efficient service on Esso's popular products.

Large Group Tours Local Turkey Farm

A large group of those connected with the turkey industry in Virginia was here yesterday for an inspection of the Bak-Co Turkey Farm Hatchery. Following a tour of the new and expanded hatchery, on the Evergreen Road, the group was entertained at luncheon at the local American Legion Building, and following the luncheon a program on matters of interest to the turkey industry was presented.

Hosts for the occasion were R. Baker Jones and E. C. Compton, co-owners of Bak-Co., and Thelbert M. and David Trent, of the local plant. Bak-Co recently purchased the local hatchery from Trent, and the plant has been expanded with new equipment and now has a capacity of 138,000.

Mr. T. M. Trent is now manager of the Bak-Co Hatchery.

Dr. Harry M. Lovr, of V. P. I. and Hollis Soomo, Director of the State Division of Marketing, addressed the group at the afternoon program.

The local hatchery last year turned out nearly half a million poults. With the larger equipment, this figure will be greatly increased during 1956. Hatched are the Thompson Broad White turkeys, a strain that is proving very popular on the market. The local operation is one of the largest of its kind in Virginia, and the business is a great asset to the community.

MEETING OF P.-T. A. OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The Elementary P.-T. A. will meet in the elementary school auditorium on January 19, at 8:00 P. M.

Dr. John L. Suttenfield, Mayor of Lynchburg and pastor of Fairview Christian Church, will speak at this meeting. His topic will be: Spiritual Mobilization. Patrons and friends of the school are urged to attend this meeting.

4-H Members Receive Medals For Projects

At 4-H Club meetings held over the county this month, the following were presented medals for achievement on projects they had completed during 1955.

These medals are made possible by various industrial firms and can be won only one time by one club member. However, club members may win different medals each year by completing different projects.

Mrs. Frank Carr: Alumni recognition.

Hazel Almond, Virginia Carolyn Caldwell and Linda Rash: Bread demonstration.

Marlene Barger, Sandra Pillow, Eunice Martin and Ann Ransom: canning.

Carol Faye Couch, Mary Catherine Mitchell, Carolyn Childers, Patricia Phelps: clothing.

Shawn Mabley, Samuel Inge, Larry Torrence, and Louella Martin: dairy.

Carrie Jane Inge, Virginia Lee Shouse, Tommy Catlett, Donald Tomlin: electric.

R. M. Harris, Jr.; R. T. Mezginson, Jr.; Roger Frankllin, Billy King: field crops.

Shirley Watson, Jean Brown, Linda Anderson, Joyce Gunter: food preparation.

Vivian Mullens, Patsy Williams, Philip Lucado, Brod Pack: garden.

June Carol Conner: girls' record.

Gene Carson, Patricia Alvis, leadership.

Stanley Roach, Kinckle Martin: meat animal.

Laura Carson, Frank Nat Coleman: poultry.

Billy Carson: tractor.

Betty Jean Goad: public speaking.

Attended Board Meeting

Mrs. C. G. O'Brien attended an Executive Board meeting of the Women of West Hanover Presbytery in Fork Union on Wednesday of this week.

Convention Delegates To Be Elected Feb. 21

Virginians will vote by State Senatorial District for the election of 40 delegates to a State Constitutional Convention, which will convene in Richmond on March 5, to amend Section 141 of the State Constitution.

Governor Stanley, authorized by the first bill passed by the 1956 General Assembly to fix the date for the election, chose February 21 for the balloting on convention delegates.

The convention was approved in a referendum January 9, by better than a 2-1 majority.

The constitutional change is regarded as the keystone of the program recommended by the Commission on Public Education for the avoidance of enforced integregation in the public schools.

Local Chapter Gets Advance On Polio Funds

As a stopgap measure to meet this community's acute need for funds to continue care of polio patients, a check for $2,850.00 from March of Dimes headquarters in New York was received this week by the Appomattox County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

"This money," explained T. DeWitt Evans, Chapter Chairman, "is an advance supplied by chapters operating in the black. When it was realized that more than 1,200 chapters would exhaust the March of Dimes funds available to them, National Foundation headquarters called in funds from chapters which had surpluses."

The check received by the Appomattox County Chapter will help meet long over-due bills for providing treatment and equipment for five polio patients in this area, he said. Mr. Evans predicted that because many of these patients will continue to need help, the chapter would be forced to ask for additional funds in the future.

The March of Dimes is now in progress in Appomattox County. Dr. A. L. Keesee heads the drive in the white schools of the county; Mrs. H. J. Price for negro schools and churches; C. W. Smith for church collection, and J. W. Flood for personal contributions. The Junior Chamber of Commerce is handling the distribution and collection of March of Dimes coin containers.

Call Attention To TB Rate In County, State

One in every 63 men, women and children in Appomattox County either has TB, is suspected of having it, or because of close contact with a case has a good change of developing it.

The figures for Appomattox County are: 31 cases, 22 active cases, 20 suspected cases, 91 known contacts

A total of 43,910 Virginians are under treatment or observation as tuberculosis cases, suspected cases, or contacts of cases, local health departments in the state reported on January 5. The 43,910 being watched by health departments are an average of one person in every 83 men, women and children in the entire state.

The figures furnished through the State Health Department and local health services were compiled by the Virginia Tuberculosis Association as a public service, W. W. Wendt, executive director said. He added that so far as he knew it was the first time such figures had been compiled.

"These statistics are being made known," Wendt said, "to give Virginians a picture of the tremendous problems that confront us in tuberculosis control despite the fact that drugs and surgery have reduced our death rates from the disease."

Conty Woman Dies In R. R. Crossing Crash

Spout Spring, Jan. 14.- Mrs. Annie Laura Mann, 21, died at 3:15 P. M. Saturday in Lynchburg General Hospital, as the result of a train and automobile collision at a home crossing at Spout Spring.

She was born in Appomattox County July 16, 1934. She was the daughter of Edner and Annie Willie Mayberry Mann. She was a member of the Spout Spring Baptist Church.

Surviving beside her parents is one daughter, Laura Kathryn Mann; one brother, William E. Mann; two sisters, Mrs. Haven B. Fields and Mrs. William C. Mayberry, all of Spout Spring.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, Jan. 16, at Spout Spring Baptist Church, by Dr. Carl A. Collins, Jr. Interment was in Concord Cemetery. Pallpbearers were: Ernest Grisham, Floyd Gulli, Jimmy Wilson, Wilson Mayberry, Fred Byers, and Frank Fields.

Page Elected President Of Young Farmers

Ray Page, of Route 4, Appomattox, has been elected to serve as President of the Appomattox Young Farmer Association for the year 1956. Ray is a graduate of Appomattox High School and has been a member of the Young Farmer Association for several years. He farms with his father in the Oakville community.

Other officers elected for 1956 were Ralph Harris, Vice-President; and Bill Williamson as Secretary-Treasurer. Ralph graduated from Appomattox High School last year and joined the Young Farmer group during the summer. Ralph and his father farm and operate a sawmill. Bill Williamson farms with his father on Route 4, Appomattox. He has been a very active member in the Association for the past two years, attending the State Convention in Richmond last year and the District Convention in Rocky Mount this year.

The Appomattox Association was well represented at the District Convention on January 6, — Sam Davidson, former President, — the local group was elected Secretary for the Southside Virginia Young Farmers Association. Sam Davidson, Bill Williamson, Ralph Harris and Paul Wilbun attended this convention.

The local Association heard a report on the District Convention and considered the "Agricultural Outlook for 1956" at their first meeting of this year. At the second meeting held this Tuesday, they discussed the "Appomattox A. C. P. Program," with Mr. Newton Jennings leading the discussion.

The Young Farmer Association is open to all young men engaged in farming.

POST COMMANDER TO ATTEND LOCAL POST MONDAY NIGHT

The local Post 104 of the American Legion will meet Monday night, January 23, at 7:30 o'clock. The Department Commander, Anderson Rennick, will be at this meeting, and all members and friends are urged to attend this meeting.